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In re application of: Wei and Tian

Serial No.: 10/749,104

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For:

ANTI-TUMOR MOLECULAR VACINE AND METHOD OF

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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION

TO RESPOND

Palo Alto, California 94304

August 23, 2004

Mail Stop Missing Parts Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir: 10

> Applicants respectfully request a two month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding "Notice to File Missing Parts - Filing Date Granted," mailed April 21, 2004, such extension allowing the undersigned from June 21, 2004 until August 23, 2004 to respond, August 21, 2004 being a Saturday, and August 22, 2004 being a Sunday. A timely response to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts is being filed herewith.

Please charge the enclosed Credit Card account, as indicated in the enclosed Form PTO-2038, in the amount of \$210.00, as required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a), plus any additional charges that may be incurred. Applicants believe that no fees are required; however, if any fees are required by the present Response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to the credit card account submitted herein. Alternatively, the Commissioner is requested to contact the undersigned via phone or mail so as to provide applicants an opportunity to remedy any possible insufficiency of fees paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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